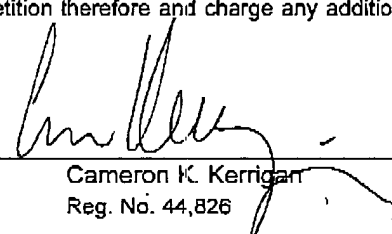


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. 50623.169
In re Application of: Charles David Claude			
Serial No. 09/822,952	Filing Date March 30, 2001	Examiner K. George	Group Art Unit 1616
Invention: Controlled Morphologies in Polymer Drug For Release Of Drugs From Polymer Films			
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 14, 2003, in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months
From: <u>August 14, 2003</u> until <u>September 14, 2003</u> Date Date			
<p>The fee for the extension of time is \$110.00 and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.</p>			
Dated: August 29, 2003 Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. 1 Maritime Plaza, Suite 300 San Francisco, CA 94111 (415) 954-0200		 Cameron K. Kerrigan Reg. No. 44,826	
cc: Docket			